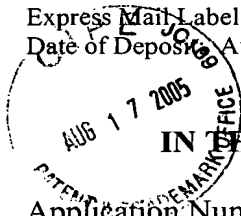


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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Patent Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated February 17, 2005, in which the rejection of Claims 1-16, 18, 19, 35, and 36 were made final.

A Response to the final rejection was filed previously, on May 17, 2005 and an Amendment after Final Rejection accompanies this paper.

A Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for three months accompanies this paper.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and instructed to charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with this paper, or to credit overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3431, Reference No. 350930-0120. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed herewith for accounting purposes.

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